Table 1.2 Marital Status of the Population by Sex and Citizenship Status: March 2002 (Numbers in thousands. 1/)

SEX AND MARITAL STATUS			CITIZENSHIP STATUS					
	Total		Native		Naturalized Citizen		Not a Citizen	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total								
Total	221,591	100.0	191,254	100.0	11,673	100.0	18,664	100.0
Married, spouse present	115,854	52.3	98,840	51.7	7,381	63.2	9,632	51.6
Married, spouse absent 2/	2,933	1.3	1,655	0.9	304	2.6	973	5.2
Widowed	14,052	6.3	12,586	6.6	949	8.1	518	2.8
Divorced	20,969	9.5	19,163	10.0	953	8.2	853	4.6
Separated	4,626	2.1	3,769	2.0	302	2.6	555	3.0
Never married	63,157	28.5	55,240	28.9	1,784	15.3	6,133	32.9
Male								
Total	106,910	100.0	91,679	100.0	5,426	100.0	9,805	100.0
Married, spouse present	57,927	54.2	49,629	54.1	3,695	68.1	4,603	46.9
Married, spouse absent 2/	1,556	1.5	739	0.8	161	3.0	656	6.7
Widowed	2,638	2.5	2,377	2.6	154	2.8	107	1.1
Divorced	8,697	8.1	7,963	8.7	349	6.4	385	3.9
Separated	1,817	1.7	1,538	1.7	95	1.8	184	1.9
Never married	34,275	32.1	29,433	32.1	972	17.9	3,870	39.5
Female								
Total	114,681	100.0	99,575	100.0	6,247	100.0	8,859	100.0
Married, spouse present	57,927	50.5	49,211	49.4	3,686	59.0	5,030	56.8
Married, spouse absent 2/	1,377	1.2	917	0.9	143	2.3	317	3.6
Widowed	11,414	10.0	10,208	10.3	795	12.7	411	4.6
Divorced	12,272	10.7	11,201	11.2	603	9.7	468	5.3
Separated	2,809	2.4	2,231	2.2	207	3.3	371	4.2
Never married	28,883	25.2	25,807	25.9	812	13.0	2,264	25.6

^{1/} Age 15 years and over.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, March 2002 Ethnic and Hispanic Statistics Branch, Population Division Internet Release date: March 10, 2003

^{2/ &#}x27;Married, spouse absent' excludes separated.